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1. EMBASSY HAS ARRANGED APPOINTMENT FOR AMBASSADOR LAURENCE SILBERMAN WITH LABOR MINISTER ARENDT FOR MONDAY, JANUARY 26 AT 0930 HRS RPT 0930 HRS. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS WILL INFORM US LATE TODAY OR EARLY MORNING JANUARY 22 ON APPOINTMENT WITH FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER. FYI: LABOR MINISTER ARENDT RE-ARRANGED PREVIOUS COMMITMENTS TO MAKE THIS APPOINTMENT POSSIBLE.

2. DURING CONSULTATIONS WITH MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WE HAVE HEARD THAT THE FRG WILL SEEK THE ELECTION OF AN FRG GOVERNMENTAL REPRESENTATIVE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE ILO GOVERNING BODY. INITIALLY THEY WILL CONTACT A FEW FRIENDLY GOVERNMENTS, INCLUDING CANADA, NORWAY AND AUSTRALIA, BEFORE SEEKING SUPPORT OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY (EC) GROUP. THIS DECISION FOLLOWS LABOR MINISTER ARENDT'S CONVERSATIONS IN WASHINGTON. ARENDT ALSO WILL TRAVEL TO GENEVA ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 27 TO CONSULT WITH ILO DIRECTOR GENERAL BLANCHARD, WHERE HE WILL DISCUSS HIS CONVERSATIONS IN WASHINGTON ON ILO PROBLEMS. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS SOURCES ALSO INDICATE THAT TUNESIA MAY SEEK ELECTION OF ITS REPRESENTATIVE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE ILO CONFERENCE IN JUNE 1976.

3. ON THE RESPONSE OF THE EC GROUP TO THE POINTS RAISED IN THE U.S. LETTER OF INTENT TO WITHDRAW FROM THE ILO, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS REPRESENTATIVES INDICATED THAT SEVERAL MEETINGS HAVE BEEN HELD AND A DRAFT RESPONSE IS NEARING THE FINAL STAGE OF APPROVAL. HILLENBRAND

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